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The Flaming Hibiscus

The flowers of the Flaming Hibiscus have long been associated, in song and story, with the spirit of romance. In the Islands of the South Seas, dusky maidens tuck these blossoms into their dark tresses and dance beneath the moon. The tropical forests are afire with their radiant loveliness.

One finds them in the native hut and the houses of the foreigner alike, swaying at the tips of fragile bamboo stalks in gorgeous bouquets, or placed informally on mats or flat plates quite guiltless of water. They are loved and revered for their exotic color and form.

What could fit more charmingly into our Southern California picture? What flowers more appropriate to our semitropical climate than these brilliant beauties?

Hibiscus are evergreen, vigorous growers and bloom profusely throughout the warm weather.

AGNES GAULT single ALOHA single AMERICAN BEAUTY . single BALI double BONNIE CLARE single CALIFORNIA GOLD . single CECILE single CORAL REEFS single COUQUETTE	Large salmon-rose; a most worthy subject. Huge cerise-vermilion of great beauty. A crepe-like single in brilliant silvered cerise. Beautiful golden-orange of heroic size. Charming mandarin-yellow with wine red eye. And this one is yellow with orange tips. New, very large pink and gold. Exquisite. Immense coral-salmon with crinkled petals, yellow underneath. A ravishing beauty.
(Schizopetalus) single	Small pendant coral with deeply fringed recurved petals. Basket type.
FAIR JEANNETTE single FLAMING DAWN double	Soft pink; sulphur yellow on reverse of petals. Gorgeous, very large golden-buff with crimson and violet at base of petals.
FLEURON double GLORIOUS single	Pink; resembles a huge rose which the name implies. Perfectly describes this large single flower of copper, margined in gold, with cerise-purple overtones.
HAWAIIAN MOON . single	Crisp, canary yellow with white center and orange tipped style. Unusual.
HONOLULU single KAMEPULA single	Large shrimp pink with golden lining. Of striking size and color, this copper-orange with creamy center and vermillion overlay is one of the best.
KILAUEA single LORELEI single LUNA single MME CHIANG KAI SHEK single	Large, hardy scarlet commonly known as San Diego. An exquisite flower. Pink like the lining of a sea-shell. A large, single chamois-gold of great charm. In yellow lacquer, streaked with red and margined in
	gold. Very Chinese.
MURIEL EVANS single OAHU single PURITY single RED GIANT double ROYAL BEAUTY double	Cinnabar and gold, striped in white. Resembles a lily. Large, Chinese-bronze red. Striking. Very large, pure white. A true aristocrat. Fragrant. This huge double silky flower is a muted deep red. A real glowing beauty; large, double, and of a vivid yellowish-red.
WHITE WINGS single	Quite different is this huge white with narrow petals, maroon eye and vermilion-tipped style.
WHIRLIGIG double	Just bewitching with its twisted form of lacquer red; and many others.

We offer, herein, a list which we consider representative of the most desirable Hibiscus to be found in the country. All are reasonably hardy and are not particular as to the kind of soil or fertilizer, provided they are given a sunny exposure, sufficient water and good drainage.

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Price range based on size and variety.

In gallon containers: 50¢ to \$1.75 Each

In 5-gallon containers: \$1.75 to \$3.50 Each

Specimen Plants: \$5.00 to \$10.00 Each

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